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Mrs. B. has, in these very charming stanzas,  
nobly sustained a reputation nobly won:  
[For the Louisville B. Bulletin.]

### THE BETRAYAL.

Soft the lily-bells are ringing,  
Ringing forth a perfumed lay;  
April buds and blossoms are bringing  
Wreaths to crown the coming May,  
For 'tis the time when roses blow,  
And apple-blossoms thick as snow  
Go drifting through the glade.

Sweet the words the winds are whispering  
Softly in a maiden's ear—  
Sweeter far the silver ringing  
Of a memory wildly dear:  
Fair Eva, with the hair so brown,  
And dark eyes drooping gently down,  
Sits dreaming in the shade—

Dreaming all sweet memories over,  
Which the soul delights to hear—  
Listening in the dewy clover,  
For a footstep coming near;  
The beams that light the sunny slope  
Are dim beside the golden hope  
Now flashing in her eyes.

Soon the step is brightly sending  
To her cheek the rose-leaf flame,  
And a form, above her bending,  
Murmurs softly Eva's name:  
Whispering words she loves to hear,  
Else why should she lean so near  
In shy yet glad surprise!

"I will love thee, love thee only,  
Through the coming joy or gloom  
Hallowed by this hour so lonely,  
Witnessed by this budding bloom:  
Yes, I will love thee ever best,  
My heart shall take no other guest,  
Can feel no other bliss,

I swear it by these golden curls,  
And by this ruby nest of pearls,  
And seal it with a kiss."

Again the lily-bells are ringing,  
Telling forth a perfumed lay,  
While April buds and blossoms are bringing  
Wreaths to crown the pallid clay:  
For Eva, she is lying in her grave,  
As cold and still and pale as snow,  
Her palms upon her breast.

She, the true, the faithful hearted,  
Sadly through a mist of tears,  
Saw the light of hope had parted  
From the rainbow of her years;  
Bridled blossoms in her hair—  
The blooms he loved to see her wear—  
And laid her down to rest.

He who once, with tender meaning,  
Kissed the snow of these white hands,  
Pining back the golden ring  
Of her hair with loving hands,  
Kneels before another shrine,  
Of its untimely blight;  
Whispering all those words so sweet,  
Which had made her young heart beat  
With rapture and delight.

MARY ELLA BATCHELLER.  
FRANKFORT, APRIL 25.

IMPORTANT TO STEAMBOATMEN.—Last Saturday,  
the steamer Eclipse was preparing to start out,  
about twenty of her hands deserted and sued out  
attachments against her for their wages from New  
Orleans to this port. On the trials—which were  
before Justices Clement & Matlack—it was proved  
that they had made a verbal contract to make the  
trip to this city and back to New Orleans before any  
part of their wages should be due, but that arriving  
in this city they had left the boat in distress, and  
without even a demand for payment, had attached  
her. But the Justices gave judgment against the  
boat, under an act of Congress passed in 1790, when  
there were no steamboats. This act, which has reference  
only to sea vessels, provides that contracts to  
ship seamen on board of any ship or other vessel  
bound to any foreign port or to any port in a State  
not adjoining, must be in writing. Appeals were  
taken from this decision by the boat in such of the  
cases as were decided against her, but Capt. Broad-  
well being compelled to leave, and not having time  
to attend to the taking of depositions, &c., consented  
to a compromise, the hands paying all the costs.

We understand that it has become quite common  
for deck hands to take this course, being emboldened  
by their repeated successes, as the captains have  
been generally willing to pay their demands and  
costs rather than delay their boats to try the cases.  
But the imposition is very heavy, and in the case of  
the Eclipse if all her crew had attached, as they  
were ready to do if the first ones met no resistance,  
the court fees alone would have amounted to about  
\$250, to say nothing of the trouble and expense of  
being deserted by a crew at the very busiest moment.  
Boatmen should for convenience make their contracts  
in writing, but if they do not, they should put a stop  
to this practice by appealing in every case.

Alexander Cassidy, Esq., appeared on the part  
of Capt. Broadwell, and there were a host of attorneys  
on the other side. The trials lasted from half  
past 12 till 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

THE CONCERT.—Thalberg.—The performance  
of Thalberg at the concert on Saturday evening gave  
gratification to the largest, most brilliant and appreci-  
ative audiences we have ever seen assembled in  
Mozart Hall. It is difficult to define the peculiar  
charms of Thalberg's music. His execution is  
graceful and surprisingly easy and smooth. It is  
perfectly finished, and yet seems entirely natural  
and without any effort whatever on the part of the  
performer in the most difficult passages. His music  
is without intermission, it is a ceaseless volume of  
sweet sounds. This constitutes one of the most  
striking peculiarities of his playing. Under his  
touch the Piano seems to become endowed with life,  
and from the faintest ripple of sound to the roar of  
a full orchestra, it is soulful and eloquent. No one  
who has not heard Thalberg can have any adequate  
idea of the capability of the piano as a musical in-  
strument.

But the splendor of Thalberg did not pale the  
glory of Parodi. She was in excellent voice and  
never sang with more power, sweetness, brilliancy,  
and pathos. The Ricci waltz, and the duet from  
Norma, sung by Parodi and Madame Skrosch,  
were received with evident delight by the whole of  
the vast audience.

We regret that we have not room to do justice to  
this concert, but advise our readers, who wish to  
hear the perfection of vocal and instrumental music,  
to secure their seats for the concert to-night.

One of the New York papers says that a large  
number of drunken men were picked up in the  
streets on the night of the 4th. Not only drunken  
men but sober ones get "picked up" in New York  
every night and day.

THE DIFFICULTIES WITH NEW GRENADA.—  
We learn through our best informed exchanges from  
Washington that the Government of New Gr. nada  
is resolved to get deeper into difficulties with the  
United States. It has been understood that the New  
Granadian Government had, through Gen. Herron,  
relinquished the purpose of enforcing her laws for  
the imposition of a tonnage duty on American ves-  
sels, and a tax upon the transportation of mail mat-  
ter across the Isthmus. But it now appears that  
they are unwise enough to reassert the right to im-  
pose these duties and to attempt to enforce these  
collections.

Mr. Bowlin, in conformity with instructions, was  
to withdraw from his mission as soon as it should  
appear that the Government of New Grenada per-  
sisted in a refusal to comply with demands for the  
redress of the grievances of which we complained.  
He has accordingly withdrawn, and diplomatic in-  
tercourse closes.

The United States Government does not intend to  
commit any act of war, but will simply protect the  
transit. This will be done by landing a force, when  
necessary, for the security of the railroad and the  
passengers.

It is an important fact that the British and French  
Governments have both interposed to advise the  
Government of New Grenada to do justice to the  
United States in the matters pending. The British  
Government has directed their minister at Washing-  
ton to advise the New Granadian Government to  
comply with our just demands.

DEATH OF THE DRED SCOTT PLAINTIFF.—John  
F. A. Sanford, an eminent merchant of New York  
city, died on Tuesday, in the 51st year of his age.  
He commenced life as a trader on the Missouri,  
rose to a partnership in the great St. Louis firm of  
Pierre Chouteau, Jr., & Co., and rapidly accumulated  
a fortune amounting to not less than a million and a  
half of dollars. He, in connection with George  
Peabody, Esq., the London banker, made \$600,000  
on one year's importation of British iron, mainly for  
railroads. But the cares and anxieties of his im-  
mense business proved too great for even his vigor-  
ous mind, and Mr. Sanford was some months since  
stricken down with insanity. He recovered his rea-  
son after a time, but not permanently; he was again  
stricken, and died under the infliction—more deserv-  
ing of commiseration in the midst of his vast wealth  
than many a beggar who does not know where to lay  
his head.

Mr. Sanford, as executor for the late Dr. Emerson,  
was the nominal plaintiff in the Dred Scott case, on  
which the Supreme Court have rendered so famous a  
decision.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—There occurred a very se-  
rious accident last week on the Michigan Southern  
Railroad. As the express train going West was at  
full speed, between Toledo and Adrian, it ran against  
a cow and was thrown from the track. The first  
passenger car was thrown across the track and the  
second passenger car ran through it, instantly kill-  
ing five persons and injuring others. The killed are:  
a lady and gentleman, and their child, from Mercer  
Co., Pa., on their way to Wisconsin; a man (name  
unknown) about 30 years of age, heavy black beard  
and mustaches, from New York, also bound to Wis-  
consin; a child of Mrs. Ellen Brown, killed in its  
mother's arms. Mrs. Brown and her mother, Mrs.  
Palmer, are severely injured. They were from  
New Lynn, Ashabula county, Ohio, and were en-  
route to Shelbygan. Mr. Brown was also injured;  
likewise others, with bruised limbs, &c.

AN \$8,000 TROT.—The owners of "Young Mor-  
rill" have accepted the challenge of the "Ethan Al-  
len." Young Morrill's owners, in their card in the  
Manchester Mirror, say that they do not wish to make  
but one match next fall, and that match they desire  
to make with the Ethan Allen. Accordingly they  
accept the challenge, viz: Ethan to go to wagon and  
driver weighing three hundred pounds, Young Mor-  
rill to harness; mile heats, best three in five. The  
races to come off sometime during the latter part of  
October, over the Union course, Long Island. The  
money is to be put up by the 1st of June, and Young  
Morrill's owners name \$4,000 as the sum they are  
willing to risk on their horse.

A year or two since the hemp market of this  
country, in consequence of the Russian war, was  
considerably excited, and a speculative movement  
was the consequence. One merchant in Boston, who  
operated rather extensively, found himself at the  
close a loser of fifty thousand dollars. The same  
merchant has recently, however, embarked in the  
sugar business, the price of which, in consequence  
of short crops, combinations, &c., has nearly doubled  
in price, and he now finds himself a gainer of fifty  
thousand dollars—exactly the sum he lost in the  
hemp speculation. So says the Boston Traveler.

THE CROPS.—Our Alabama exchanges speak fa-  
vorably of the prospects of the crops in that section.  
The Lagrange (Texas) True Issue, of the 29th  
ult., reports the weather still unpropitious, cold, and  
dry, and the crops no further advanced than they  
were two months previous.

The same paper says that from all accounts the  
most in Texas this year will absolutely amount to  
nothing, the frost having three times destroyed the  
acorn crop.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher performed the ceremony of  
immersion on Wednesday of last week.

We hardly think the world would be a loser if the  
Rev. H. W. B. were to perform the ceremony of  
immersing himself with a big stone tied to his neck.

Wm. Taylor, a journeyman carriage maker in  
Lafayette, Ind., has mysteriously disappeared. He  
had won some money at cards, and it is thought that  
those who were playing with him have made way  
with his body.

The annual election of directors of the Louis-  
ville and Cincinnati Mail Company takes place at  
Cincinnati to-day.

Mr. Benjamin Johnson, brother of R. W. John-  
son, of Arkansas, died on the 26th ult., at his plan-  
tation in Desha county, of that State.

COAL.—The Pittsburg Gazette, of Friday, says:  
During this rise more than 50 pairs of coal-beds  
have gone out. We are not able to state the exact  
number because the water was so high that many of  
these went over the Monongahela dams and were  
not counted at the locks. The number is, however,  
more than fifty.

## RIVER AND STEAMBOAT MATTERS.

### PORTLAND TELEGRAPH LINE.

Office at Portland, Delme's Drug Store, on the wharf.  
Office at Shippingport, in the Canal Office.  
Office at Louisville, Durr's Clothing Store, corner Fourth  
and Water streets.

The river commenced falling night before last,  
and yesterday was receding pretty fast. There were  
still, however, at least 12 feet water on the falls last  
evening. The weather yesterday was cool and clear.

The wharf for the past week has presented a very  
lively appearance, notwithstanding that business  
was not brisk. This was owing altogether to the  
fact that the falls were navigable, and all the pack-  
ets running below having thus been enabled to come  
to the city wharf. The Louisville wharf usually  
presents a very dull appearance, as most of the bu-  
siness has to be done at Portland, our boats being  
too large to come through the canal and the river too  
low for them to come over the falls. If the falls  
were navigable always, our wharf would compare  
favorably with that at Cincinnati in point of busi-  
ness.

The Eclipse did not get off on Saturday, having  
been detained by most of her deck hands deserting  
her. She was lying at Jeffersonville all day yester-  
day, taking on board a large lot of pork, and left  
last evening laden to the guards. We have alluded  
in another paragraph to the annoyance steamboats  
are frequently subjected to by the desertion of their  
crews.

For New Orleans.—The Fanny Bullitt, Capt. L.  
B. Dunham, will leave for New Orleans at 4 o'clock  
this evening, from Strader's wharf. Her cabins are  
splendidly furnished, and have every appointment  
to render passengers comfortable. Capt. Dunham  
is a careful and gentlemanly officer. Mr. Theodore  
Judge, formerly of the Kentucky river packets, has  
charge of the office, and he bestows every attention  
on passengers.

For St. Louis.—The Fashion, the regular Monday  
packet in the St. Louis line, will leave from the foot  
of Fourth street to-day. The F. is a good boat, and  
has pleasant and well-furnished cabins. Messrs.  
Smith and De Hart, her clerks, are polite and ac-  
commodating gentlemen, and to them we are indebted  
for favors. We understand that Capt. Reid has  
retired from the command of the Fashion. The post  
has been tendered to Capt. Mason Irvin, but we do  
not know whether he has accepted it.

For Henderson.—The Statesman, Capt. Sullivan,  
is the packet for Henderson this evening. She is  
well adapted to the trade, and is very popular. Mr.  
Hicks, formerly of this city, is the chief clerk.

The Alamo Child.—This is the name of a new  
steamer just completed here for Capt. Holland, for the  
Missouri river trade. The Child is very strong-  
ly built, and has great capacity for freight. Her  
cabins are roomy, and neatly and elegantly furni-  
shed. The hull was built by the Howards, and the  
machinery by Roach & Long. She leaves for the  
Missouri river to-day.

We thank the officers of the fine steamer States-  
man for a copy of her manifest.

The Princess and Seventy-Six are up for Nash-  
ville.

The Telegraph No. 3, Capt. Hildreth, is the mail-  
boat for Cincinnati to-day, and the Martha Putnam  
is up for Pittsburg.

The Cumberland river had 20 feet water on the  
shoals on Friday evening, and was still rising.

The Arkansas river was rising on the 2d, with 7  
feet water in the channel.

White river, on the 2d, had risen 5 feet, and was  
still rising.

AMERICAN SKILL.—The governments of the three  
colonies in Australia have commenced the construc-  
tion of nearly 1,000 miles of magnetic telegraph, to  
be completed in nine months from this time, and  
have selected Mr. S. W. McGowan, formerly in  
charge of the office of the New York, Albany and  
Buffalo telegraph, in New York city, as superinten-  
dent of the construction of the lines, which are to be  
worked under Morse's patent.

The Portsmouth (Va.) Transcript states that  
the guns of the new steam frigate Minnesota, which  
were ordered from Pittsburg, Pa., failed to stand the  
navy test, and consequently the Minnesota is obliged  
to go to the Gosport navy yard to take the battery  
prepared for the Colorado, made at Richmond, Va.

WHITE CHILDREN KIDNAPPED BY A CIRCUS  
MANAGER.—The St. Louis Democrat of Friday  
gives the following account of an outrageous case of  
kidnapping white children in that city:

John Perry, a circus man, was yesterday exam-  
ined before the recorder on a charge of kidnapping  
children. On the 3d inst., Mary Ann Malone, aged  
14, living on Myrtle st., between Second and Third,  
and two smaller girls, Amelia Dodge and Ann Ry-  
an, were looking at the pictures in front of the cir-  
cus on Washington avenue. Perry accosted them,  
and asked them if they would like to become cir-  
cus actresses, and told them that if they would come  
back in the evening he would hire them, and take  
them to another city. He also told them that he had  
before taken a little girl, and made her a circus ac-  
tress. He enjoined them not to tell of the matter to  
their parents or any one. The girls went back in the  
evening, and the defendant received them and  
showed them about for some two or three hours. Her  
spoke particularly to Amelia, but in so low a voice  
that the witness, Mary A. Malone, could not hear  
what was said. He then bade them return next  
day, and not say anything to their parents about it,  
telling them that he could then take them away and  
their parents could not find them.

On Monday, after school, the girls returned again  
and found more children, similarly received, who  
were smaller. He told Amelia D. and Ann Ryan to  
come back after supper and he would show them  
the performances. He then took Mary A. Malone  
with him to a boarding-house on Broadway, and  
told a lady there to come to the circus with her at  
7 1/2 P. M. Witness supped there and then went  
with the lady to the circus, where Perry received  
them. When the performance was over, at 11 o'clock,  
Perry took them to a fruit store and treated  
them to orange, &c., and then put witness into a  
circus wagon, telling her to stay there until he could  
take her to the dressing room. In half an hour the  
lady, also in the wagon, went away with the "can-  
vas boss." Perry then promised the girls that if  
they would stay with him he would give them plen-  
ty of silk dresses, gold watches, &c., and offered to  
kiss witness, which she prevented. He then took  
her to the dressing-room, left her, and came back  
with whisky, which he offered her to drink, and of-  
fered other indignities. She refused to drink and  
cried bitterly; and at about three o'clock in the  
morning he took her again to the bawdy-house.—  
Early in the morning she arose and made her es-  
cape. The wretch was then shortly arrested, and  
the other victims released. He was yesterday jailed  
in default of \$1,000 bail.

Mr. John P. Morton, of the firm of Morton &  
Griswold, has left the city to attend the Southern  
Educational Convention, which meets in Columbia,  
S. C., on the 18th inst.

THE CHARGES AGAINST THE ROCK ISLAND BRIDGE  
AND REFUTED.—The Davenport Gazette, of the 4th inst.,  
makes the following reply to the charges of the St. Louis  
Republican in relation to the Rock Island bridge:

The bridge opened with navigation in the spring of 1854.  
Steamboats passed up and down without accident till the  
burning of the Erie at the foot of the draw, resulting in the  
partial destruction of the bridge. The bridge was repaired  
and again opened on the 4th of August. From this time  
till the close of navigation 102 steamers passed the bridge.  
Not one of them met with an accident. Of these steamers  
25 had two barges in tow and 34 had one barge. Thus 59  
of the steamers had barges in tow, and not one of them  
struck the piers. We have no means of ascertaining the  
number of rafts which passed the bridge last season. But  
of these only a comparatively small number were injured;  
and the majority of the accidents undoubtedly occurred  
through pure animosity to the bridge, a feeling which we  
are happy to say does not appear to exist this season among  
raft pilots.

Since the opening of navigation this spring, the first  
boat, Conewago, passing the bridge March 23d, up to yester-  
day morning at 10 o'clock, 153 passages of steamers have  
been made, a space of a little over one month. Of these,  
one had four barges in tow, two had three barges, nine had  
two, and nineteen had one. The only steamers which  
struck the piers were—the War Eagle, April 2d, not injur-  
ed. She touched when there was no wind, and no possible  
excuse for missing the channel. The same negligence on  
the part of low-water would have wrecked her. The La-  
crosse, May 4th, with light wind, coming down, struck a  
pier through pure negligence or intention. She went con-  
trary to any effect the wind might have produced. One of  
her guards was crushed. The Kosciusko, April 19, left Inven-  
port, she was blown against a pier, and narrowly escaped  
destruction, but experienced no serious injuries. The Cro-  
mola, April 19, struck a pier and was not injured. The  
Fanny Harris, April 22, attempted to pass the regulator on  
a race night on the draw, the latter boat having a large  
barge in tow. Fanny struck, but experienced no injury.

Thus of 153 boats only two were injured by passing this  
bridge. The losses should have been small. The other  
had no possible excuse for staying the pier. But to the  
raffs it will be recollected that an engineer made a  
statement to the St. Louis meeting, that eight out of ten  
rafts attempting to pass the bridge were wrecked, and  
eleven were destroyed one morning. Well, this season  
there is a regular raft book kept by Mr. Gurney, the  
bridge tender. It shows that since the opening of the sea-  
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# **EVENING BULLETIN.**

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 11, 1857.

A NEW AND COMPLETE ATLAS—THE WORLD IN MINUTURE.—A new atlas of the western hemisphere, just issued from the press of Arthur B. Griswold, of New Orleans, is one of the best works of progressive geography we have yet seen.

This volume refers particularly to the western hemisphere, but contains also an admirably arranged and comprehensive treatise upon Physical Geography. The work is intended for a table or pocket atlas, and possesses many very great advantages over the large rolling maps which we have been accustomed to use. Each State and geographical subdivision is represented by an accurate map of much larger size than they are found on the large maps. The county, township, and sectional lines are accurately laid down, and all the towns in each county are represented. It is vastly more convenient in form and more satisfactory for reference than any atlas or map of the United States we have ever seen. It is convenient to handle, and can be brought near the eye; it occupies but little room, can be put anywhere, and carried by the traveler; it contains a detailed letter-press description of all the States and countries shown, with their geographical, commercial, and industrial interests; it is a tasteful ornament to the center-table and a decoration to the parlor; any additions of new towns or railroads that may be built, or any alteration of boundaries of States or countries can be put in at any time by any one of ordinary skill with a pen; it shows twice the country, with twice the detail, at one-half the price, of any mounted map of the United States of respectable size.

It would not be easy to enumerate all the advantages of this neatly printed and handsomely bound volume. It is, what it purports to be, the western hemisphere in miniature, and no one who desires to possess an accurate knowledge of the geography of the western world will be without this atlas.

Mr. Allen, the general agent for the sale of the work in this State, will call upon our citizens to subscribe for it. It is sold at about half the price of a common map of the United States. Mr. Allen desires to procure the aid of several energetic and intelligent men as canvassers in this State. He may be found after 7 P. M. at Mrs. Buckley's, Jefferson, near Second street.

Jonathan N. Hazard is the name of the Boston clerk who robbed his employers of about \$100,000. The firm of Whitney, Fenne, & Co., the employers of Hazard, had missed large remittances from time to time, and their suspicions were, as is usual in such cases, directed against the postal department of the country. The postmaster, about three months since, set a trap for the thief, and when his plans were completed he summoned the members of the firm to the post-office, and to their great astonishment handed over to them the rogue, and checks, drafts, etc., to the amount of \$14,000.

Hazard confessed his rascalties, and they have since been endeavoring to recover the large amount of property which he has taken from them, promising not to institute proceedings against him in case he made full restitution.

THE BEHAVIOR BOOK, a Manual for Ladies; by Miss Leslie. Seventh Edition. Philadelphia: Wm. P. Hazard. Miss Leslie has acquired great celebrity for her receipts for cookery, housewifery, and behavior. Her directions for ladies' behavior are founded upon her own observations of misconduct, and are dictated by the most part by practical good sense. It may seem to some of the fast young ladies of the present age that her notions in some respects are rather antiquated and tend to produce a certain preciseness and primness not exactly consistent with their notions of genteel progressiveness in fashionable society, but her suggestions will be found safe and conservative and eminently proper. For sale at Ringgold's.

A private letter from an officer of the rifles stationed at Fort Thom states that on the 11th March Lieut. Baker with a detachment of thirty-five men of company B, of that regiment, overtook a party of eighteen Apaches, strongly protected by rocky and narrow canon, and after a sharp action defeated them, and recovered forty-two horses, which they had stolen from Senor Vilj. Lieut. B. lost two of his men—one killed instantly and the other mortally wounded. A sergeant, a corporal, and a bugler were also wounded, and two horses were killed and four wounded by the arrows of the Apaches. The affair was regarded as quite creditable to Lieut. Baker and his men.

CONNECTICUT LEGISLATURE.—The Legislature of Connecticut met at Hartford on Wednesday. Gov. Alexander H. Holley was inaugurated and delivered his message. He recommends an alteration of the constitution, so that the Legislature shall meet but once in two years, and in winter instead of summer. He seems to be in favor of raising the rate of interest to seven per cent.; speaks of the school fund as in a prosperous condition, dividing this year \$140 to each child, instead of \$130 as last year. He denounces the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, the Dred Scott Decision, and the attempts to extend the institution of slavery.

STORIES OF THE ISLAND WORLD. By Charles Nordhoff. New York: Harper & Brothers. This little volume is Geography made easy. It is a collection of entertaining stories descriptive of various islands, Madagascar, Ceylon, Iceland, New Zealand, Java, &c. These stories are supposed to be told by a sailor, who had long been absent from home, to his little brothers and sisters assembled around the family fireside in their home in Indiana. The book is illustrated with a number of engravings. It is a captivating geography of the Island World. For sale by Morton & Griswold.

Judge Pettit, of Indiana, made a decision last week, in an important case on a bill of exchange, at Lafayette, which, if sustained as law, will have a material effect on the exchange business of our banks and bankers. The case was founded upon a bill of exchange drawn and accepted by parties in Toledo, and discounted by bankers in Lafayette, for the accommodation of the holder, at a considerable advance, the holder's indorsement being required to the bill as a condition of its being taken. The bill was not paid at maturity; the bankers came back on the indorser for payment, who set up the plea of assury in defence. The Judge charged that the fact that the plaintiff required the indorsement of the holder of the bill—now the defendant in the suit—made the transaction a loan of money to him, and not a sale of the bill, and consequently usurious if more than six per cent. was taken, and that they could not, in any event, find for the plaintiffs for a greater sum than the amount paid by them upon the bill, when they received it, and also that a verdict must be rendered against the plaintiff for costs. The result of the trial was a verdict for the plaintiffs for the amount advanced by them upon the bill, without any interest whatever, and against them for costs.

EXTRAORDINARY SPIRITUAL MANIFESTATIONS IN SOUTHERN ILLINOIS.—A correspondent of the Du Quion Mining Journal, vouched for by the editor "as a man of truth under ordinary occurrences," gives the following account of some very singular manifestations near that place, of which he says he was an eye-witness:

About the middle of the month of March last, after I had retired to bed for the night, and was thinking of my plans for the next day, I heard a loud knocking upon the door, and opening it, found my nearest neighbor, Mr. L., awaiting me. He was trembling from head to foot, at which I was greatly surprised, as the night was quite warm, considering the time of year. "For God's sake, come to me this moment," Satan or some of his crew has taken possession of the premises, and are playing the d—l generally."

He would give me no time to ask questions; but was exceedingly anxious I should accompany him. I had scarcely got my clothes on until he took me by the arm, and hurried me along towards his residence. He entered the main room of the building, closely followed by myself. There the most wonderful sights I ever beheld presented themselves to my view. Mr. L.'s wife and two eldest daughters were huddled up in the corner of the room, and each with the expression of terror. They were clinging to each other, and sobbing violently. Near the fire-place was the youngest daughter, a very pretty girl, moving round in a kind of waltz-like dance, with arms in a horizontal position, seemingly paralyzed, and humming a singular air. Stranger than all, each and every piece of furniture in the room was keeping perfect time with the movements of the girl, and a clock upon the mantle-piece had ceased running, but a continuous stream of sounds issuing from its bell, and adding greatly to the confusion then prevalent. A square table out of the question then prevalent. First it would tip forward on the two front legs; and then on the two hinder ones, and lastly spin around on one leg like a top, and again tip backward and forward. A fire-shovel was dancing a jig on the hearth; the wood was rolling about; and pots and skillets made an outlandish racket.

Suddenly the young girl ceased her waltzing—stood like a statue—and instantaneously every article of furniture settled into its accustomed place. The lighted candle, which was standing on the table, was suddenly extinguished as if by an invisible person. The fire upon the hearth was quite low, and gave a very faint light. Immediately after the extinguishing of the candle, a green light, interspersed with orange colored rays, seemed to envelope the upper portion of the young girl's body, giving her a supernatural appearance, and the most melodious sounds followed, resembling the music of the Æolian harp, appearing to be around, below, and above the occupants of the room. This lasted about five minutes, when the music ceased and the green light disappeared; but, as if by magic, the candle upon the mantle-piece was again ignited, and the girl fell insensibly to the floor. Some two hours elapsed before she was fully restored from her trance-like sleep; but every vestige of the singular performance in which she had participated had escaped her memory. Almost nightly since, spiritual demonstrations have occurred at my neighbor's house, yet differing in many respects from those witnessed by me.

The Tyron (Pa.) Herald, of May 7, has a long account of a desperate riot, in Clearfield county, from which we make the following extract:

RIOT IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY.—On Friday last, a desperate riot broke out between the rascals and log-floater engaged in their different vocations on Clearfield Creek. It occurred at a point called Drifted Island, and resulted in the severe wounding of three persons, and the destruction of a quantity of provisions, tools, &c. The following persons were injured: Geo. Chandler, shot in the back; J. F. Pearson, shot in both legs; David Casper, shot in both legs; Geo. Miller, shot in forehead and hands; a Frenchman, name unknown, was also shot. The logmen were completely routed, the rascals being well supplied with powder and shot, and the rascals, long suffering, having resolved to win the field or die. Immediately after the riot, the victors, the logmen, took themselves to the destruction of their property, tearing down their cabin, their boats, three in number, and throwing their provisions into the creek. They then burnt the tools of the logmen, throwing the iron portion into the water. None of the rascals were injured, so far as we have heard.

YELLOW FEVER IN RIO JANEIRO.—A private letter from Rio Janeiro, under date of Feb. 28th, says:

You will, perhaps, not exactly understand my allusions to the mortality of the place; but when I tell you that we are now in the midst of the sickly season, and that the yellow fever is carrying away from twenty to thirty foreigners daily, beside leaving several hundred sick in the hospitals, you will agree with me in thinking that it would be a pretty poor speculation for any company to insure my life; and, as my occupations keep me out of doors, exposed to the sun, you may expect, before long, to see my obituary in the papers.

[From the N. O. Picayune, May 3.]

LATE AND INTERESTING FROM MEXICO.—The Prussian schooner Eberhard, Capt. Hansen, arrived here yesterday morning from Vera Cruz, which port she left on the 23d of April. The dates received by her from the city of Mexico are to the 20th.

The news from the capital is of some interest. The reactionary party for a long time had determined to make a demonstration, and accordingly fixed upon the Thursday and Friday of Holy Week.

The Extraordinary of the 15th says: The issue was made by the refusal of the Chapter of the Cathedral to admit the Governor and Council of the district, on their petition for admission, to assist at divine service. On being thus refused admittance, the Governor and Council withdrew, and the Governor immediately took measures to punish this overt act of insubordination on the part of the ecclesiastical authorities against the civil, by arresting the rebellious canons when they should come out from the church. Several of the canons, on their petition for admission, to assist at divine service, on being thus refused admittance, the Governor and Council withdrew, and the Governor immediately took measures to punish this overt act of insubordination on the part of the ecclesiastical authorities against the civil, by arresting the rebellious canons when they should come out from the church. Several of the canons, on their petition for admission, to assist at divine service, on being thus refused admittance, the Governor and Council withdrew, and the Governor immediately took measures to punish this overt act of insubordination on the part of the ecclesiastical authorities against the civil, by arresting the rebellious canons when they should come out from the church.

The prompt arrival of a guard of armed police, which, with a few of their clubbed muskets and the arrest of two or three of their ringleaders, dispersed the mob, put a speedy stop to this insubordinate revolt, which was late more effectually repressed by the arrival of the military governor, with a company of cavalry, who closed the doors of the Cathedral and stationed a line of sentinels around the platform. An hour or so ago, a group of soldiers, dispersed persons in the plaza having renewed the cry of revolt, the disturbance was easily put down by the discharge of a few shots in the air by the police. These firing incident were the only results of the media, and attempts to get up a revolutionary movement against the Government.

The Archbishop, the Bishop of the diocese, and six or seven of the more prominent priests were arrested on Monday by order of the Government and immediately placed in confinement. It is said that the Archbishop upon his arrest surrendered the church and its property to the keeping of the Pope's Nuncio in this city, who immediately solicited a meeting of the diplomatic corps, for the purpose, as rumor has it, of adding him to retain possession.

A decree banishing the Archbishop and other prelates has been published by order of the Supreme Government. After recording in round and measured sentences, the decree concludes with something of this sort: "The offense is of so grave a character as to call for the banishment from the Republic of the said prelates, being the penalty designed by the laws for such cases, and which, in all times and in various nations, has been used by the prelates who set at defiance the supreme authorities; but, notwithstanding the force of these reasons, the bad state of the Archbishop's health, his advanced age, and the respect that his private virtues deserve, have induced the President to limit the penalty to imprisonment in his palace till further order."

Similar demonstrations were made in Tacubaya and Puebla.

Two conductors, from Zacatecas and Mineral de Catorce, left San Luis de Potosi on the 8th ult., for Tampico, with \$2,000,000. The cabinet of Comonfort was taking measures to raise money to carry on the government. A forced loan and a duty on tobacco were spoken of.

The hacienda of Gen. Nicholas Bravo, at Chichihualco, was destroyed by fire on the 12th of March, rendering 81 families homeless, and destroying \$20,000 worth of property.

Indian disturbances in Durango are still the order of the day.

The Buffalo Commercial Advertiser is publishing a series of "Sketches of European Travels," written by its editor, Dr. Foote. They are very interesting. From the last number we make the following extract:

The road, soon after leaving Montbard, begins to show something of the wild scenery characterizing Burgundy. The hills are higher and more abrupt in their outlines. The ground is covered with vineyards instead of cereal crops. A vine-growing country is not the most agreeable sight that can be looked upon, though its broken character might please the eye of an artist. Instead of the towers on which the vines are often trained with us, or allowing the vines to hang in graceful festoons from the mulberries, as is the case in Lombardy, they are rarely suffered in this part of France to grow more than a few feet in height, and bound to upright sticks, looking at a distance like pieces of lath. The vines are stripped of their leaves as much as is deemed safe, so as to give the fruit the utmost possible advantage of the sun. A more unpicturesque landscape than that of a country covered with vineyards can hardly be imagined. Some of the hop-growing districts in Osego county are magnificent in comparison. The *Cote d'Or*, as the country was formerly called, produces some of the finest wines of France. A disease called the *oidium*—something analogous to the rot in potato—has seriously affected the product of late years, but hopes are entertained that the worst has been passed, and that hereafter the vines will yield as bountifully and of as good quality as formerly.

Tonneire, a little town of nearly 5,000 people, offers some attractions to detain the traveler. It is intimately associated with remembrances of Margaret of Burgundy, Queen of Sicily, whose beautiful tomb can be seen in the church of St. Pierre. The most curious thing in Tonneire is a fountain in the middle of the town that bursts out with such an abundance, that at a short distance from its source the stream is crossed by a stone bridge of two arches, and a little further it is employed to drive the machinery of two mills. This region has been made classic ground by Caesar in his Commentaries, and here he achieved one of his greatest triumphs over the Gauls, who, 250,000 strong, made a desperate attack upon the Romans, mustering in all less than 60,000 men. But these last were old legionaries, commanded and led by Caesar. The Gauls were defeated with great slaughter, and their leader, with a grandeur of spirit that won the respect of his conqueror, surrendered himself as the sole author of the war. Dressed in his choicest armor, and mounted on his favorite battle-horse, he slowly, and with an air of dignity, rode around the tribunal of Caesar, and pausing in front, without saying a word, threw down his helmet, his sword, and his mantle at the feet of his conqueror.

As we advance toward Dijon, the road seems to be involved in a chaos of mountains. He must have been a bold engineer, who constructed it. With a thundering crash and rushing rush, the train rushes through tunnel after tunnel, and bringing into view as it emerges from each, new and more shocking landscapes, and now striding over dark valleys by magnificent viaducts. The grade is a rapidly ascending one, the weather had changed, and the tops of many of the mountains were hidden in clouds of gray mist. At a short distance from Dijon we entered the tunnel of Blasy, one of the greatest works of its kind in Europe. It is two and a half miles long and cost two million dollars. Throughout a great part of its length it is roofed and lined with admirable masonry. The track is double. For proper ventilation the mountain has been pierced by twenty-eight wells or shafts. The deepest of these is more than six hundred feet. The five or six minutes required for the passage of the train seemed half an hour, and it was with a feeling of great relief that we emerged into the open country and pure air, and soon saw before the towers and steeples of Dijon the capital of the old Duchy of Burgundy.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.—The Philadelphia navy-yard presents an aspect of unusual bustle and activity just now. There are some eleven hundred men employed, in various ways, within its walls. They are principally engaged in fitting out the Minnesota, a new iron-clad, to carry out new Minister to China. The Minnesota is one of the six new steam-frigates recently ordered by Congress. When her armament is on board she will mount fifty-two guns, namely, two of 10-inch, thirty 9-inch, and twenty 8-inch bore—all of which are Paixhan and intended for shell. Her complement of men will be 600, and her water-tanks will carry 24,000 gallons. The Minnesota is an auxiliary propeller—that is, steam propulsion will only be used in calm weather or when the winds are adverse. She carries 600 tons of coal, and when under regular steam will consume 31 tons per day. Her propeller is made of iron, and is 140 feet in diameter, and is of an emergency, may be increased to 800, and the machinery for hoisting and lowering the propeller is remarkably simple but of great force. The usual cabins of the commodore and captain are in process of alteration, and will be elegantly fitted out as a suite of apartments for the reception of the special Minister to China, while new rooms are being constructed for the officers on the poop or quarter-deck. We lately inspected a model of one of the Minnesota's 10-inch pivot guns, made by Mr. Knowles, which shows the proportion of gun and carriage and the action of the compressor and "eccentric trucks," as well as the apparatus for elevating and regulating aim and direct, with mathematical nicety. The weight of one of these guns is 12,000 lbs. of gun and carriage 21,000 lbs. A 10-inch pivot gun will project a shot weighing 130 lbs. or a shell of 103 lbs. with a 12 lb charge of powder. These guns were invented by Lieut. Dahlgren, U. S. N. The Minnesota, it is expected, will be ready for sea about the 15th (2) inst. Besides the Minnesota, the steamers Saranac and Princeton and the sloop-of-war Preble are at the navy-yard. The Saranac is preparing for sea.—*Phila. Inquirer*.

AN EPIPHONY EXTRAORDINARY.—Our city was thrown into a feverish and excited condition yesterday morning by the rumor that a prominent member of our City Council—a married man—had suddenly departed this section of the country, accompanied by a beautiful, gay, and dashing young widow. Rumor, with its thousand busy tongues, gave vent to its feelings, and, after a careful investigation of the matter, we have arrived at the conclusion that Madame Rumor has not far deviated from the truth. The "Don Juan" of the story is a young man of considerable acquirements, engaged in the wholesale liquor trade, and one of our city's *Sons*. Although not taking a very active part among our sages, he has been looked up to as "Sir Oracle," on many occasions, and has been considered a cautious, firm, determined, and positive diplomatist, which is fully substantiated by his last diplomatic act. Our "Don," as we before said, is a married man, and the father of a small family. His wife is the sister-in-law of the frail widow. The partner of "Don" in his expedition to foreign climes is the daughter of a most worthy and estimable steamboat captain, a gentleman of considerable wealth. Her late husband was the brother of her seducer's wife. After the death of her husband, who was engaged in the wholesale liquor business, in partnership with her brother—"Don" became a partner in the firm, where an intimacy sprung up in their business relations which resulted as above stated. The parties left the city on Friday evening, and it is supposed are now en route for Europe via New York. Telegraphic dispatches have been sent East ordering their arrest, and daguerotypes of both transmitted to the New York authorities. The affair is one of the most distressing character, involving the happiness of several families, and causing the deepest anguish among the friends and acquaintances of the eloping parties. Ctn. Enq.

MELANCHOLY DEATH OF AN ARTIST.—The well known portrait painter in this city, Mr. Henry Willard, was instantly killed, Wednesday evening, on the Boston and Maine Railroad, near the junction of the Medford Branch road in Malden. He was walking upon the track in company with a Mr. Woodworth, and while attempting to avoid the freight train by crossing to the other track, was struck by the Portland passenger train, and killed. His body was shockingly mutilated. He was about fifty-five years of age, and unmarried.—*Boston Bee*.

LOST, Letting a 100-acre tract of land, the other certificate for 100 shares Southern Pacific Railroad stock. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at m11 j&b2 JAMES TRABUE & CO.'S.

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PARISIAN MILLINERY. MRS. A. JONES, 106 Fourth st., bet. Market and Jefferson. Would respectfully invite a particular examination by the ladies of Louisville and vicinity to her new and elegant collection of *Parisian Millinery Goods*, also to her regular Spring issue of *LADIES' DRESS HATS*, modified and corrected from the prevailing styles of the principal capitals, which she could assure cannot be excelled for beauty of material and elegance of design, having spared neither pains nor expense in her endeavors to secure a selection which will gratify the most refined taste. All orders faithfully and promptly filled upon reasonable terms. a1 j&b&w12 MRS. A. JONES

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Dr. King's Dispensary. DR. A. KING, a practitioner of New York for the last thirty years, has opened a Dispensary on Market, bet. First and Second, and opposite the Graham House, Louisville, for the treatment of Private Diseases, such as Gonorrhea, Syphilis, and all diseases of the skin and other diseases growing out of neglect or imperfect cure. His long experience and success enable him to act with confidence. All those who may confide their cases to him may rest assured of having the disease effectually cured and every vestige of the difficulties perfectly eradicated from their constitutions. STRICTURES of old or recent date effectually cured in a few days by an operation which causes no pain. Where a stricture exists, general derangement of the whole constitution must ensue, a continuance of which will bring on a train of symptoms to be dreaded, and will undermine the constitution and create premature old age. SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Particular attention will be given to this disease and all the consequences growing out of it, brought on, in many cases, by the destructive habits of youth and excessive indulgence of the passions, which undermine the constitution, rendering the subject unfit for other business or society, and causing premature death. Persons abroad, by writing and stating their case, with a fee enclosed (post-paid), can have the medicine sent to their address, with necessary directions for using the same. The strictest secrecy observed in all cases. a11 j&b12 *OFFICE* hours at the Dispensary from 9 o'clock in the morning till 5 o'clock in the evening. 68 900 w12

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We would invite the special attention of persons, especially ladies, in want of the richest and newest styles of fancy dress goods and the best brands of staple goods to the stock at the store of G. B. Tabb, corner Fourth and Market streets. At this house can be found styles of goods not to be found in any other house in the market, which in point of beauty and elegance cannot be excelled. Ladies visiting our city will find it greatly to their advantage to give this house a call and examine the various kinds of goods before making their purchases. His stock of silk and lace mantillas is the largest in the city, embracing a variety of new and desirable styles. His stock of silks, berege and grenadine robes, embroideries, and lace goods cannot be excelled by any Western house. He has also a large and well selected stock of cottonades, heavy cotton drills, plaid cottons, osenaburgs, &c., for servants. Call and examine the stock of this house before you make your purchases, and we feel sure in saying that you will be convinced that this is the house to buy good and cheap goods. Corner of Fourth and Market streets. a1 j&b

AN OLD SOLDIER'S EVIDENCE.—John Hammond, of Newport, Ky., a soldier of 1812, says he has suffered for seven years with Rheumatism and has never found anything to afford him as much relief as Porter's Oriental Life Liniment, and adds he would not be without it if it cost ten dollars per bottle. Four bottles of the genuine Oriental Life Liniment are sold at 96 Third street for one dollar, and each purchaser receives a free gift as soon as the purchase is made, worth from fifty cents to one hundred dollars. The gifts are new and desirable, and consist of fine gold and silver watches, gold pencils, ear-rings, breast-pins, finger-rings, pocket-knives, work-boxes, &c. Remember the place, 96 Third street, near the post office, Louisville, Ky. a28 j&b&w

HON. EDWARD EVERETT'S ORATION ON WASHINGTON.—We suppose that we could not possibly make a more gratifying announcement to our public than that the Hon. Edward Everett will deliver his eloquent oration upon the "Life and Character of Washington" in this city on to-morrow (Tuesday) night. It is unnecessary to speak of the finished eloquence and the noble patriotism characterizing this production of a master mind. The opportunity to hear so great a man discourse upon a theme of such nobility will be gladly availed of by hundreds of our citizens.

A WHITE GIRL, one that can cook, wash, and iron for a small family in Jeffersonville. Inquire of m11 b1f 61 Third st., Louisville.

NEW MUSIC. THALBERG'S COMPOSITIONS.—All of Thalberg's latest Compositions can be had at the Piano-forte and Music Warehouse of D. F. FAULDS & CO., 539 Main street, opposite the Bank of Ky. m1 j&b

NEW GOODS. MARTIN & PENTON, 96 Fourth street, have opened a fresh lot of the following fashionable goods which they offer at low prices: ELEGANT MANTLES. A second invoice of choice Mantles, of the *Chantilly* and French Laces, some of which are truly superb, and at such prices as will defy competition. PARASOLS AND FANS. A second importation just received, and among them the "Bon Ton" of Philadelphia, a beautiful and graceful style of Parasols. Call and examine them at 96 Fourth street, between Market and Jefferson. m1 j&b

MOURNING GOODS. Crapes, Velvets, Mantles, Scarfs, DeLaines, Berreges, Canton, Collars and Sleeves, in fact everything that can be needed for a full dress. SERVANTS' GOODS. Osenaburgs, Cottonades, heavy Drill, Linens, plaid Cottons, Calicoes, and brown Cottons, and at the lowest possible figures. KID GLOVES AND MITTS. We only keep the best brands of Kid Gloves, and ladies cannot tell us of any better sold within us. We have an assortment of long and short Mitts unsurpassed by any house. EMBROIDERIES. Our assortment in this line is as complete as ever—Collars, Sleeves, Skirts, Peignoirs, Edges, Insertions, Bands and Flouncings, and Handkerchiefs. We invite all to the inspection of our stock. m1 j&b 96 Fourth st., between Market and Jefferson.

A BEAUTIFUL, CHEAP, AND FINE ARTICLE OF Plated Ware and Yacht's' stuff just received from our factory and for sale at very low prices by PRATIER, SMITH, & CO., 425 Main st. m1 j&b

Extra Fine Watches. I have just received a beautiful lot of GOLD WATCHES, which I have had made to order, with magic and extra heavy hunting cases, which are added to others recently received, makes my stock of watches for ladies' and gentlemen's wear very complete. Call and examine them at WM. KENDRICK'S, 71 Third st. m1 j&b&w

Plated Ware. Just received by us an additional supply of Plated Ware of very latest style and best quality. I have Coffee and Tea Sets, Pitchers, Castors, Goblets, Butter Dishes, Waiters, Communion Sets, &c., to which I invite attention. m1 j&b W. M. KENDRICK, 71 Third st.

STRAW HATS FOR GENTS, YOUTHS, BOYS, AND CHILDREN, of all the different styles, qualities, and colors, in store and for sale at reduced prices by PRATIER, SMITH, & CO., 425 Main st. m1 j&b

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HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA, from its origin until the year 1790, with Biographical Sketches of its early Ministers, by the Rev. Richard Webster. Price \$3. For sale by A. DAVIDSON, Third street, near Market. m1 j&b

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Music Books and Music Preceptor. THE Sacred Melodeon, containing a variety of approved Church Music, by Leonard. The Southern Harmony and Musical Companion, containing tunes, hymns, psalms, odes, and anthems. The Academy Vocalist for the use of Seminars, High Schools, Singing Classes, &c.; by Geo. F. Root. Mason's Sacred Harp, volumes one and two, new and improved edition—volumes sold separately. Sacred Harmony, adapted to the greatest variety of metres now in use. The Christian Psalmist for worshipping assemblies, Singing and Sunday Schools; by Leonard. The Chor Stan Minstrel, a new system of musical notation of psalms, tunes, anthems, and chants; by Akers. The Alpin, Glee Singer, a complete collection of music, in four parts; by B. Bradbury. OF HAGAN & CO., Wholesale Book Dealers, m1 j&b

MAY 2, 1857. Jewelry, Silverware, Watches, Plated Goods, &c. OUR stock of the above embraces all the most desirable articles in our line of business, which we are selling fully as low as they could be obtained elsewhere. Call and examine styles and prices. JOHN KITT'S & CO., Main st., bet. Fourth and Fifth. m1 j&b

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THE above articles, and many others not enumerated, are of our own manufacture, made out of the best materials, and in point of workmanship, elegance, and durability of finish will vie with any manufactured in the United States. Persons in want of a superior Trunk of beautiful finish are invited to inspect our stock before making their selection. Increased advantages offered to the trade, and peculiar inducements extended to cash purchasers.

**REMOVAL.**  
**JNO. M. BRADSTREET & SON'S**  
Improved Mercantile and Law Agency  
OFFICE  
HAS been removed from Court Place to 459 Jefferson street, between Third and Fourth, north side.  
a25 jkblm

**Saddlery Warehouse.**  
**C. PROAL**  
Has removed to the new building erected on the site of his old stand.  
61 Third st., between Main and Market.  
Having opened a fresh stock of Saddlery, made up and bought chiefly for cash, offers rare inducements to purchasers. Call and examine.  
Jan 30 jkblm

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OF ALL KINDS OF WOOD AND MARBLE. Mixed Paints,  
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Terms made to suit customers both as to rates and times  
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Corner of Main and Bullitt streets.  
WE are receiving as one per cent. Tennessee currency the following Free State Banks:  
MICHIGAN BANK, Nashville, do;  
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BANK OF CHATTAUGO, Chattanooga, do;  
NORTHERN BANK TENN., Clarksville, do;  
418 b24 jkblm HUTCHINGS & CO.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day sold to Messrs. Tripp & Cragg my entire stock and interest in the MUSIC TRADE in this city, lately held under the firm of Brainerd Brothers, and respectfully solicit for a continuance of the public patronage so liberally bestowed upon me.  
These indebted to the firm of Brainerd Brothers are requested to make payment to my Agent, J. M. BRADNARD, Louisville, Ky., April 13, 1897.  
N. B. Five per cent. discount will be allowed for cash on accounts due July next.  
a14 jkblm

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We have removed our FINISHING and  
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Entrance on Main street, also on Sixth, in rear of  
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Having increased our facilities, we are  
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invite our wholesale and retail purchasers  
to see that we hope for the future to be able to supply the  
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As regards the merits of our Pianos we would respectfully  
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**LATE T NEWS.**  
THERMOMETER.  
6 P. M. 12 P. M. 7 A. M. 12 M  
58 47 43 53  
BAROMETER.  
Last night, 12 o'clock. To-day, 12 o'clock.  
29.75 29.74

**LIST OF UNPAID LETTERS REMAINING IN THE**  
LOUISVILLE POST-OFFICE, May 9.

Barclay & Livingston, Messrs. New York.  
Eccles, J. W. Fairfield, Ky.  
Herre, Miss Rosalie. Fayetteville, Ohio.  
Kennedy, John. Hastings, Minnesota Ter.  
Horton, Mrs. Attawa J. Shawneetown, Ills.  
Paine, Dr. H. J. & Beers. San Francisco, Cal.  
Shotts, E. T. Montgomery, Ala.  
Skerret, Dan. San Francisco, Cal.  
F. S. J. RONALD, P. M.

**Steamers Coming.**—The Antelope passed Memphis  
on Saturday, will arrive to-morrow, and leave for  
New Orleans on Wednesday.  
The James Montgomery passed Memphis this  
morning, will arrive on Wednesday night, and leave  
for New Orleans on Thursday evening.

**POLICE PROCEEDINGS.**—Monday, May 11.—Whip-  
ping his sister.—Ephraim Ackley, on Saturday night,  
found his sister in company with Dan Day, a mar-  
ried man. The young lady is betrothed to Michael  
Story. The latter knocked down Day, and Ackley  
whipped his sister. A large lot of goods of various  
descriptions, supposed to be stolen, was found in  
Ackley's house. Held to bail in \$200 for two months.  
**Abusing Wife.**—Timothy Grady has been very  
drunk and very cruel to his wife and children. Bail  
in \$300 for three months.

**Disorderly Neighbors.**—Michael and Mary McMa-  
hon, very reputable neighbors when sober, were un-  
fortunately drunk Saturday night and very annoy-  
ing to the street on which they reside. In consid-  
eration of their previous good conduct, their own re-  
cognizances were taken.

**Implements for Kansas.**—John Stofel, a workman  
at Wilson & Water's oil and paint factory, had some  
idea of emigrating to Kansas. First of all he pur-  
chased a five shooter and a bowie-knife, having  
heard terrible stories of border ruffianism. He was  
found in possession of these articles on Saturday  
night, running at the height of his speed from some  
one who had attacked him.

**Drunk.**—Edward Bond was drunk yesterday near  
the Woodland Garden. Mr. A. J. Powers appeared  
as his surety.

**Wife and Husband.**—Adam and Elizabeth Schmidt  
have been separated four years, yet they live in the  
same house, except when the man is in the work-  
house, which is the most of the year. On Saturday  
they engaged in a regular fight, and were this  
morning required to give security for their good be-  
havior.

**Discharged.**—Franklin W. Olcott, the Pennsylvan-  
ian lumberman, charged with counterfeiting, proved  
his innocence this morning, but established a char-  
acter for crazy drunkenness. Discharged.

**JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.**—Criminal Term.—  
May 11.—John Mitchell (not the Irish rebel) was  
sent to the penitentiary four years for stealing a  
horse from Morgan J. Fultz.

**Acquitted.**—Wm. Grissman, charged with passing  
counterfeit money, and James McMullen, on the  
same charge, were acquitted.

**Continued.**—The case of Elisha Hillyer, for at-  
tempting to run off with the slave of Mr. J. W.  
Newland, was continued.

**Transferred to Indiana.**—Rufus H. King, indicted  
as an accomplice in the murder of Paschal D. Crad-  
dock, was arraigned. He made a speech in favor of  
a continuance of his case, which was granted. Just  
as he was leaving the court room, a Sheriff from  
Indiana arrested him on a requisition from the Gov-  
ernor of our sister State. He has been guilty of  
horse stealing over there.

**On Trial.**—Wash, for the murder of his master,  
Paschal D. Craddock, is now undergoing an exami-  
nation.

**MR. EVERETT'S LECTURE.**—Unquestionably the  
first production of this age, by any pen attempting  
to delineate the character of the *Pater Patrie*, is the  
oration of Hon. Edward Everett. Mr. E. delivers  
that oration to-morrow night at the First Presby-  
terian Church. We need add no more, save indeed  
that all the proceeds of the lecture go for the pur-  
chase of Mt. Vernon, the home and grave of Wash-  
ington.

**LE BON TON JOURNAL DE MODES and Monthly**  
*Report of Paris, London, and New York Fashions.*  
The May number has been received by the agent,  
Mr. S. Ringgold, Fourth street. It is the best num-  
ber ever published.

**A private dispatch** dated Hopkinsville, Ky.,  
May 11, says: "Hon. Judge Cook, Judge of the  
Circuit Court of this district, died at his residence  
in Princeton on Friday night."

**The Jackson Council** will meet at their hall  
this evening at 7 1/2 o'clock, for the purpose of elec-  
ting delegates to the nominating convention.

**RECEIPTS.**  
Per W. B. Terry from Tennessee river—13 bales cotton,  
Brady & D. 7 do, 24 kgs lard, 3 bbls do, 2 bgs rags, Noek,  
W&Co; 1 bbl skins, 1 bx, Thinside & Co; 10 bgs rags, McMe-  
han; 4 bbls do, order; 4 bbls c yarn, 8 bbls onaburgs, Low &  
Co; 4 bbls tobacco, 5 bgs rags, Wilder & Co; 1 lhd tobacco,  
64 bgs c yarn, Curd & Co; 68 1/2 tons pig metal, Buchanan &  
Co; 1 box, Hayes, C & Co; soda, order; 16 bgs peanuts, re-  
shipment.

**For New Orleans.**  
The new and magnificent passenger steamer  
JAS. MONTGOMERY, SAM. MONTGOMERY,  
master, will leave for above and intermediate  
ports on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 4 P. M.  
For freight or passage apply on board or to  
CARTER & JOUBT, Agents.

**CARPETINGS! CARPETINGS!**  
New and beautiful designs,  
LATEST IMPORTS FOR SPRING.  
**C. DUVALL & CO.**  
Late Bent & Duvall.

**ARE** now opening for their spring sales, received by ex-  
press and otherwise, one of the largest and most com-  
plete stocks of this important article they have ever  
brought to this market. Amongst the choicest of these  
may be found the genuine  
Super Velvet, Kidderminster, and Wilton Carpets;  
Real 6-cord Brussels and Patent Tapestry Brussels;  
Real English Printed and American Goods in every va-  
riety;  
American, English, Scotch, and German Ingrains in de-  
signs entirely new and of the first order of material,  
comprising 3-ply, 3-ply, 4-ply, 5-ply, 6-ply, 7-ply, 8-ply,  
together with every variety of Hall and Stair Carpet, &c.  
The above goods we offer at the very lowest prices. Pub-  
lic attention is particularly invited to their examination.

**CHILDREN'S CABS AND CARRIAGES.**  
A FRESH run of all sizes Children's Cabs and Car-  
riages, warranted superior to any other sold in the city;  
also several new and exclusive styles of Willow Cabs with  
stationary and falling tops. Call and examine before you  
buy elsewhere.  
No trouble to show goods at 98 Fourth street.  
W. W. TALBOT.  
a16 jkblm

**OFFICE CLOCKS.**—A dozen just received. A specimen  
of the same can be seen at  
JOHN KITT'S & CO., Main st.  
a16 jkblm

**BY TELEGRAPH.**  
Reported for the Evening Bulletin.  
WASHINGTON, May 11.  
It is untrue that the President contemplates visit-  
ing Boston in June, as stated in the newspapers.  
Arrangements are nearly completed for his summer  
residence in the vicinity of the Soldier's Home, four  
miles from Washington. In consequence of the  
pressure of public business, he has just declined an  
invitation to participate in the celebration of the set-  
tlement of Jamestown.

**WASHINGTON, May 11.**  
The official papers just communicated to Govern-  
ment by Lord Napier contain a formal proposition  
for a new Central America treaty, but the adminis-  
tration will probably do nothing in the premises un-  
til the meeting of the next Congress, when the  
entire subject will be laid before the Senate in de-  
ference to their views heretofore.

**BUFFALO, May 11.**  
The weather has become quite cold, and snow  
has fallen to an unusual extent for May. A de-  
spatch from Boise's Point announces that snow is  
falling there also.

**NEW YORK, May 11.**  
Mr. E. O. Perrin, a Know-Nothing, formerly of  
Tennessee, has been appointed Governor Walker's  
private secretary. He starts for Kansas to-morrow.

**CINCINNATI, May 11.**  
Weather quite cold, fires necessary.

**PITTSBURGH, May 11.**  
River eight feet one inch and falling. Weather  
cloudy and cold.

**CINCINNATI, May 11, M.**  
Flour very dear: 1,100 bbls sold at \$6 30@6 40; receipts  
light. Wheat excited and 1/2c per gallon higher; sales of  
1,000 bbls at \$2. Provisions advancing; mutton \$22 75;  
bacon 15 1/2c, with sales of 155 bbls.

**NEW YORK, May 11, M.**  
Flour buoyant with sales of 9,500 barrels; State has ad-  
vanced 10c, and selling at \$6 00@6 10; Southern un-  
changed. Wheat heavy; 4,500 bushels sold; white has de-  
clined 2c, and is selling at \$1 30. Corn also heavy; 20,  
600 bushels sold; mixed declined 1c, and selling at \$4. Pro-  
visions firm.

**Stocks lower and dull.** Ill. Central 13 1/2; Mich. Southern  
64 1/2; N. Y. Central 93 1/2; Penn. Coal Co. 53 1/2; Reading 89 1/2;  
Galena and Chicago 98 1/2; Mich. Central 13 1/2; Erie 40 1/2;  
Cleveland and Toledo 69 1/2; Cleveland and Pittsburgh  
53 1/2; sterling exchange dull at 109 1/2.

**BALTIMORE, May 11, M.**  
Flour buoyant—super brands sell at \$7 50@7 50, being an  
advance of 1 1/2c—on Saturday's quotations. Wheat from  
2 1/2c better—sold at \$1 70@1 75; and of white at  
\$1 70@1 75. Corn advanced 1 1/2c—sales of white at 74c  
and of yellow at 75c. Whisky excited—sales at  
\$23@23 1/2.

**ADDITIONAL FOREIGN NEWS.**  
By the steamer Europa, which reached Boston  
early Thursday morning, we have our European files  
to April 23.

The London Morning Post predicts that the sub-  
marine telegraphic cable will prove a failure, argu-  
ing as follows:

Whenever a cable is constructed with spiral wires round  
a soft core, any severe strain in paying it out must, by  
stretching the outside wires, either attenuate or break the  
inner conductors, or injure its insulation. At the lowest  
computation the Atlantic cable will stretch two feet per  
mile. At the deepest parts where it must be laid, six miles  
will be suspended at one time. What becomes of the con-  
ductors when during this elongation of twelve feet? It must  
either break or become attenuated.

The latter accident, we believe, will be as bad as the for-  
mer, for at present the cable will not stretch to get the cur-  
rent through 2,000 miles of 1-1/2 of an inch wire, and quite  
impossible, too, if either strain or pressure reduce it to  
1-1/2 or 1-3/4 of an inch in diameter, as in electricity the  
weakest point becomes the standard of the whole. We do  
not mean to say the present cable will not succeed, but the  
chances are against it, and it is almost certain that before  
it has been laid the cable will be found to be defective in  
some of its parts, and it will be like other cables similarly  
constructed, be perfectly useless. It is intended to  
work the cable with Smeath's batteries—a most costly  
and troublesome plan. Morse's recording telegraph, once  
a very valuable instrument, though now behind many re-  
cent inventions, is to be used.

Lord Palmerston has issued a circular to all the  
presumed supporters of his administration chosen  
to the House of Commons, informing them that Par-  
liament would meet on April 20th, and that the ad-  
dress in answer to the Queen's speech would be  
moved on May 7th.

Mr. Layard has issued a farewell address to his  
constituents at Aylesbury, in which he terms Lord  
Palmerston—

A Minister who has been invariably opposed to every  
measure of real reform, however just, and who has  
ever failed to justify the confidence of those nations which  
have trusted in him for the support and defence of their  
liberties.

Dreadful accounts have been published of the pre-  
valence of famine in Russian Finland. To this  
calamity, a most conclusive typhus fever is added,  
which is carrying off the people by thousands. It  
is suggestive of the condition of Ireland in 1846-7.

With regard to the everlasting affair of Neuchatel,  
Dr. Kern, the Swiss Envoy, has left Paris for  
Bern, with the draft of the arrangements adopted  
by the representatives of the four powers, and ac-  
cepted by him, subject to the approbation of the  
Federal Council. Switzerland is, according to the  
draft, to pay 1,000,000 francs to the King of Prussia,  
who will retain the title "Prince of Neuchatel,"  
but renounce his claim of sovereignty of the canton.

The project of doubling the capital of the Bank of  
France was adopted on April 18th, subject to the  
approval of the Chambers. The amount of increase,  
\$20,000,000, is to be advanced to the Government on  
a deposit of Rentes, and, in addition, the Bank are  
to lend to them \$12,000,000 during the whole dura-  
tion of the charter, which is to be prolonged thirty  
years. Each holder of a share will have a right to  
a new one at the price of \$225. It must tax the tal-  
ent of even the Rothschilds to foresee in what all  
these French financial expedients will terminate.

Neal Dow arrived at Liverpool on April 20th,  
and was received by a deputation of the "Temper-  
ance Alliance." A cold-water collation was held in  
his honor at the Temperance Hotel, at which a  
letter was read from the Earl of Harrington, who  
wrote:

Neal Dow stands next to Washington as the great be-  
nefactor of America and the world; and we hail his presence  
in England with gratitude and pride.

We learn as we go to press from a man who has  
been in Gratiot, Tuscola, and other northern win-  
eries, that many of the people are in a famishing  
condition, and are subsisting upon boiled oats alone.  
Is it not best to have a public meeting to devise  
means to relieve this terrible suffering?

**New Fancy Goods.**  
W. W. TALBOT, 98 Fourth street, has just received  
some very handsome styles of Fancy Goods, such as:  
Fancy Parlor Arm Chairs, new styles;  
Do do do do antique;  
Cane Arm Rocking do;  
Do Sewing do;  
Children's Cane Chairs with and without rockers;  
Rugue Suspender Baskets for dowers;  
New style red and white do do;  
Brown, red and black, and other styles Berlin Reticule Bas-  
kets;  
Fancy colored Traveling Baskets, new styles;  
Jenny Lind Work-Stands, very handsome;  
With many more new and desirable styles of Baskets and  
Fancy Goods; for sale low.  
W. W. TALBOT, 98 Fourth st.  
a16 jkblm

**Just Received**  
One dozen VEST CHAINS of a va-  
riety of new patterns.  
JOHN KITT'S & CO.,  
Main st., between Fourth and Fifth.  
a16 jkblm

**DESIRABLE THINGS**  
At MARTIN & PENTON'S, 96 Fourth street,  
WHO have now one of the most complete assortments  
of STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS to be found  
in the city, and to which they invite the attention of pur-  
chasers.

Elegant and cheap styles of Silks;  
Super plain black and mourning Silks;  
Robes, Berge, Organdie, and Lawn;  
Mourning and fancy Parasols;  
Choice lot of Embroideries.

**DOMESTIC GOODS.**  
Everything possible in the way of Servants' Goods can  
be found at this house.

**MOURNING GOODS.**  
Bambezines, Cestrums, De Laines (4-4 and 4-6), Berge  
(4-4 and 10-6), Lawns, Organdies, Grenadine, Grape Ba-  
reges, Luster, Canton Cloth and Canton Grape, Vellu-  
ettes, Hosiery, Collars, Sets, and everything necessary for  
Gloves, Hosiery, Collars, Sets, and everything necessary for  
a complete outfit. Call and examine our assortment.  
MARTIN & PENTON, 96 Fourth st.  
a16 jkblm

**IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.**  
Dr. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS.—The combinations of in-  
redients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive  
practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in  
correcting all irregularities, painful menstruation, removing  
all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache,  
pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, and disturbed  
sleep, which always arise from interruption of nature; they  
can be successfully used as a preventative. These pills  
should never be taken during pregnancy, as they would be  
sure to cause miscarriage. Warranted purely vegetable and  
free from anything injurious



